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Title: METHOD OF TREATMENT OF A TEXTILE OR NON-WOVEN SUBSTRATE TO  
RENDER SAME WATER AND OIL REPELLENT

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Respectfully submitted,

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